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November 26, 2003

Honorable Marianne Lamont Horinko Acting Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency c/o P.O. Box 1473 Merrifield, VA 22116 OPPT CBIC

Attn:

Chemical Right-to-Know Program

Re:

HPV Registration No.

Dear Administrator Horinko;

Bayer CropScience LP is pleased to submit the proposed test plan along with the robust summaries in IUCLID format for O,O-diethyl dithiophosphate (CAS# 298-06-6). A separate letter is included to describe the process and transport of this substance to request "closed-system intermediate" status. The letter explaining intermediate status should remain confidential and should not be posted on the website.

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This submission is also being sent electronically to the following e-mail addresses: Oppt.ncic@epa.gov; Chem.rtk@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

Test Plan; IUCLID data set on CAS# 56-93-9; Request for closed-system intermediate" status

CC:

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